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IN TWO NHAN DAN ARTICLES ON AUGUST 20 AND 21 WHICH CONTAINED WHAT HANOI TERMED BIOGRAPHIC DATA "UNMASKING" GVN PRESIDENTIAL CANDIDATES THIEU AND KY, HANOI ALL BUT SAID THAT PRESIDENT AND VICE PRESIDENT OF SVN WILL BE THIEU AND KY. NHAN DAN STATED IN CONCLUSION TO ITS AUGUST 20 HATCHET JOB BIOGRAPHY ON THIEU THAT "SUCH IS THE TOP ALLY OF THE JOHNSON ADMINISTRATION, AND THE FUTURE PUPPET PRESIDENT OF SOUTH VIETNAM." BUNKER

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